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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2003, Paper No. 6, the period for response having been extended to October 16, 2003, by a request for extension of three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper and begin on page 5.

Attachments to this amendment include a copy of the Patent Abstracts of Japan, for 06-276939.